

# Walnut Welcomes 50 Years!

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# 2009 Commemorative Calendar



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[www.ci.walnut.ca.us](http://www.ci.walnut.ca.us)

### Departments

#### City Manager's Office

(909) 595-7543

#### Community Services

(909) 598-5605

#### Gymnasium/Teen Center

(909) 444-7959

#### Planning & Community Development

(909) 595-7543

#### Senior Center

(909) 598-6200

#### Sheriff's Department

(909) 595-2264

#### Water/IOSMD

#### After-Hours Emergencies

Please call the Sheriff's Station

(909) 595-2264

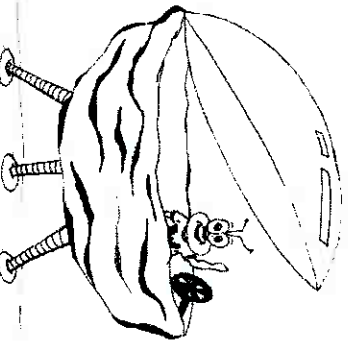
## Happy Birthday Walnut!

Walnut is proud to celebrate our 50th year. The City was incorporated on January 19, 1959. In addition to community celebrations, we produced this commemorative calendar so that as each month passes in 2009, you can enjoy pictures of Walnut, past and present.

One of the goals for the Anniversary celebration is to highlight the City's environmental programs. Walnut has always been known as a beautiful city and we look forward to working with you to ensure that it remains clean and green for the next fifty years and beyond. To that end, please take the time to familiarize yourself with the programs available to you noted throughout the calendar (as brought to you by our space visitor, "Walter").

Walnut has much to be proud of as a City. The Mayor and City Council invite you to share your civic pride with them in 2009. Thank you for being part of Walnut's past, present, and future!

## The Story of Walter (In a nutshell)



Far, far away and well beyond Pluto  
Rests a little known planet we call Walnut

Known more for the problem than for the solution  
Walnut is surrounded by three rings of pollution

It is a long, sad story about how this planet did falter  
But it is best understood from our space visitor, Walter  
He was so upset about his planet - almost giving up hope  
When he spied the most beautiful sight from his scope

It was a bright and green City with creeks, parks and hills  
Yes, it was Walnut, California that gave Walter the chills

He said "I must visit this City, I must see this great place"  
As he hopped in his Nutshell launching himself into space

His travel was safe taking less than a week  
He landed quite softly atop Buzzard's Peak

The earth people of Walnut were kind and inviting  
And to meet such tall people he found quite exciting  
How could so many people live together in one City  
Without losing the nature that makes it so pretty?  
Walter learned a lot from his 32,000 new friends  
Like to keep Walnut this clean - the work never ends  
But the loftier the goal the more Walter was keen  
To come up with a plan to keep Walnut green  
So he started a program for cleaning and conserving  
After all, he thought, Walnut seemed extra deserving  
Please join our friend Walter - let him hear all your cheers  
As we keep Walnut green for another fifty years!

## The End



# Green Links for Walnut Residents

## AIR QUALITY

Earth 911: Environmental Resources  
[www.earth911.org](http://www.earth911.org)

South Coast Air Quality Management District  
[www.aqmd.gov](http://www.aqmd.gov)

## ENERGY EFFICIENCY

Earth 911: Environmental Resources  
[www.earth911.org](http://www.earth911.org)

SoCal Gas Company  
[www.socalgas.com/energyefficiency](http://www.socalgas.com/energyefficiency)

Southern California Edison  
[www.sce.com/PowerandEnvironment](http://www.sce.com/PowerandEnvironment)

Flex Your Power: Saving Energy  
[www.fypower.org](http://www.fypower.org)

## RECYCLING

California Integrated Waste Management Board  
[www.ciwmh.ca.gov](http://www.ciwmh.ca.gov)

Earth 911: Environmental Resources  
[www.earth911.org](http://www.earth911.org)

Los Angeles County and Cities  
[www.888CleanLA.com](http://www.888CleanLA.com)

Valley Vista Services  
[www.valleyvistaservices.com](http://www.valleyvistaservices.com)

OurEarth.org: Environmental Education and Awareness  
[www.ourearth.org](http://www.ourearth.org)

## WATER CONSERVATION

Metropolitan Water District of Southern California

Earth 911: Environmental Resources  
[www.earth911.org](http://www.earth911.org)

Walnut residents are serviced by one of three water companies:

- Walnut Valley Water District (909) 595-7554  
[www.wvwd.com](http://www.wvwd.com)
- Suburban Water Systems (626) 543-2640  
[www.suburbanwatersystems.com](http://www.suburbanwatersystems.com)
- Golden State Water Company (800) 999-4033  
[www.aswater.com](http://www.aswater.com)

Water Education Water Awareness Committee  
[www.usewaterwisely.com](http://www.usewaterwisely.com)

The Metropolitan Water Company (MWD)  
[www.bewaterwise.com](http://www.bewaterwise.com)

## In Appreciation

Our thanks to the following individuals who made contributions of their time and energy to this commemorative calendar:

- James Tanduyo for his winning logo for Walnut's 50th Year Anniversary
- Alissa Robles for lending us her artistic talents and creating "Water"
- June Wentworth for providing the wonderful historic photos of Walnut
- Kirby Lee for providing the exhilarating "Now" photograph of the Mount San Antonio College Relays

We would also like to thank the California Integrated Waste Management Board which has awarded the City of Walnut with a Used Oil Grant. Funds from this grant are used for education and supplies in our efforts to promote and encourage used oil recycling. A portion of the funds from this grant were used to produce this calendar.



Zero Waste ~ You Make It Happen  
Funded by a grant from the  
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## Why You Should Care About Storm Drains

You can help prevent water pollution by not littering, picking up after your pet, and using environmentally friendly lawn fertilizers and pesticides.

**Remember to never pour motor oil, paint, or other chemicals into a gutter or storm drain. Intentionally pouring pollutants into street gutters and storm drains is dangerous to the environment and is also illegal.**

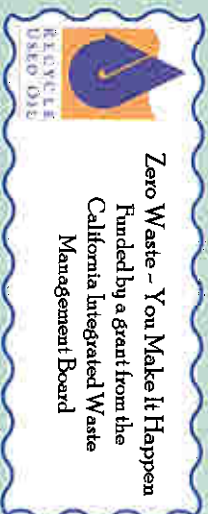
*"Please keep your oceans clean!"*

## FEBRUARY 2009

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	Registration for Spring Walnut Youth Basketball	2	3	National Girls & Women in Sports Day Suzanne Park 6:30 pm to 9:00 pm	4	5
8	9	10	11	12	Senior Valentine's Dance Senior Center 6:00 pm to 9:00 pm	13
15	President's Day	16	17	18	19	20
22	23	24	25	26	27	28

## JANUARY 2009

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## MARCH 2009

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